

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the paragraph at page 2, line 17 to page 3, line 5 with the following:

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Further, there may be considered a method of providing electronic image information, wherein the developing laboratory records the electronic image information for each customer in a web-site of an internet and transmits an address of the web-site to the customer and the customer views the electronic image information on the web-site at the address. However, in order to use the above method, since a person other than the customer can also view the electronic image information by inputting the address, it is necessary to make the address to be complicated or to use a complicated password in order to maintain appropriate security. As a result, it may become difficult to obtain the electronic image information easily.

Please replace the paragraph at page 3, lines 7-9 with the following:

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An object of the present invention is to solve the above described problems, as achieved by the following methods and/or the following systems.

Please replace the paragraph at page 10, line 20 to page 11, line 2 with the following:

A3 In the present invention, the development processing may also be a generally conducted color development processing or monochromatic development processing, or a development processing in which a part of the processes according to the development processing such as a bleaching process, a fixing process, or a drying process, in the processes of the development processing, is omitted.

Please replace the paragraph at page 12, lines 9-21 with the following:

A4 As specific input operations, when the user makes a request for the development processing of the exposed photographic film, he selects whether he would like to also receive the electronic image transmission service, and the person in the shop or collection place inputs the selection result and the user information (for example, address, name, telephone number, electronic mail address, etc.) by the input means. Further, it is preferable that the user information once inputted by the input means is accumulated, at the time of a second or subsequent visit to the shop, because the address and name are already stored, the operation to again input the information can be omitted.

Please replace the paragraph at page 13, line 18 to page 14, line 8 with the following:

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The accumulated electronic image is transmitted to the reception destination specified by the user by the transmission means according to the inputted user information. The transmitted electronic image may be either one of a so-called index system (refer to Fig. 1), in which, when it is received and viewed, a plurality of images are displayed on an image plane, or a system in which the electronic image is individually transmitted one sheet by one sheet (refer to Fig. 2). When the reception destination specified by the user has a large image plane as in the case of a personal computer, the index system is preferable, and when the image plane is small as in the case of a portable telephone by which the image can be received, the system in which the image is individually transmitted is preferable. The user can select the transmission system.